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In re Continuation Patent Application of: )  
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For: *V-Shaped Disc Screen and Method of* )  
*Classifying Mixed Recyclable Materials* )  
*Into Four Streams* )


**SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

All rights to the subject invention, including the above-identified continuation patent application, have been assigned from Robert M. Davis and James D. Weller to CP Manufacturing, Inc., a California corporation. The latter entity, CP Manufacturing, Inc., qualifies as a small entity. Under the new USPTO regulations, a small entity statement signed by an officer of CP Manufacturing, Inc. is no longer necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket Number: 2760-049

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "V-shaped Disc Screen and Method of Classifying Mixed Recyclable Materials into Four Streams", the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following is checked: ☒ was filed on August 28, 2002 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 10/232,032 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

| Prior Foreign Application(s) |            |                        | Priority Claimed  |
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| <u>PCT/US02/18565</u>        | <u>PCT</u> | <u>13 June 2002</u>    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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